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## Primary schools get top marks

**ROYAL Greenwich primary schools are top of the class in helping their pupils make progress and achieve higher than average grades when they leave.**

The latest results from national tests show Greenwich came joint fourth-highest in England for the number of 11-year-olds who reached or exceeded the required Level 4 in reading, writing and maths.

And for those achieving the higher Level 5 standard Greenwich did even better, coming third-best in the country. Royal Greenwich's figures show 35 per cent achieving at Level 5 or above - 4 percentage points up on last year's rate and 11 percentage points above the national average.

In reading, Greenwich saw 92 per cent of pupils achieving a Level 4 or above in reading - three per cent above the national average. In writing tests, 90 per cent achieved a Level 4 or better, while in maths the figure was 91 per cent - three and four per cent above the national average respectively.

Greenwich schools have also demonstrated their ability to help children make progress. The proportion of pupils improving by two or more levels between their teacher assessments at age 7, and the tests at 11, was 94 per cent for reading, 97 per cent for writing and 94 per cent for maths - at least three per cent above the national average in each case.

'Once again, Royal Greenwich is in the top quarter of authorities in every indicator of achievement'

Cllr John Fahy, the royal borough's cabinet member for children's services said: "These results show further improvement on the already excellent levels of achievement by 11 year-olds in the Royal Borough of Greenwich.

"To be the equal fourth best-performing borough in the country for Level 4 and above in reading, writing and mathematics is something that we can be incredibly proud of.

"Once again, Royal Greenwich is in the top quarter of authorities in every indicator of achievement - a demonstration that the high standard of education and support offered by our schools is being sustained year upon year."

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## Extended trading makes Sunday the new Monday

GREENWICH Council has agreed to ask residents, business and trade unions their views on extending Sunday trading. Prior to 1994, to some of us, Sunday is regarded as a day of rest, especially, when you work 5/6 days a week. A family day, when you could walk the streets without the hustle and bustle of shoppers, a day spent visiting families and friends, a lazy day spent in the park, a fun day for family. By extending the trading hours, Sunday, will become another day in the week and not a weekend. Extending the trading hours will also mean that the small corner shops will eventually close as there will be no need for them. People of Plumstead, when making your decisions, consider whether you wish Sunday to be another shopping day or a family day of rest as eventually Sunday will become the new Monday.

Pam Thompson, Plumstead

● A council spokesperson said: "Thanks for your letter. This matter was raised at a full council meeting in July, with councillors discussing the wide implications of possible changes to Sunday trading hours including the affect on family life. The council acknowledged that there are strongly-held views on both sides of this debate. Research points to public support, job creation and other economic benefits. However, there are concerns about the impact on retail staff, shopping habits and family time. The council has therefore resolved to carry out a study of the economic advantages and disadvantages of changing Sunday trading laws in the borough. Following this, the council will consult local people and businesses to help inform a final decision."



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## Pedestrians safer thanks to new crossing

THE installation of a new pedestrian crossing on Academy Road in Woolwich has helped make crossing the busy A-road much safer for local residents. Prior to the crossing, walkers or cyclists (including the elderly and young families) using Woolwich Common, or hoping to catch the 122 bus northwards from the Royal Military Academy development (the RMA) had to negotiate one of London's busiest roads which is part of the South Circular - also known as the A205. It's been a lengthy process, but we got there in the end. The crossing has already made a significant difference to residents - some avoided trying to cross the road, but instead used safer

alternative, longer routes. It was not uncommon to wait up to ten minutes for a break in the traffic to cross Academy Road. Several parties were involved in the planning, design and construction of the crossing including TfL, Greenwich Council and Durkan - the developer who is converting the RMA into homes. The GLA and UK Power Networks also contributed to the installation.

Thank you to everyone involved, particularly ward councillor David Gardner. It would be great to see similar collaborative efforts in respect of buses serving Academy Road, and nearby bus shelters.

Wai Fong Lai,  
Woolwich

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PATRICIA SOMERSET: 'Here Is A Picture Of The Cutty Sark Lit Up For Night Time'

## ROYAL BOROUGH MEETINGS

THE following meetings take place at the Town Hall, Wellington Street, unless stated otherwise.

September 7 - Health&Wellbeing Board, 2pm, committee rooms 4 & 5

September 8 - Planning Board, 6.30pm, committee rooms 4 & 5,

West Greenwich Local Housing Panel, 7-9pm, Jubilee Hall, Blissett Street

September 9 - Licensing review sub-committee, 5pm, committee room 4

Children & Young People Scrutiny Panel, 7pm, Committee Room 5

Avery Hill & Coldharbour Local Housing Panel, 7-9pm, St Albans Church Hall, Southold Rise, Eltham SE9

September 10 - Audit & Risk Management Panel, 7pm, Committee

Room 4.

Regeneration, Transport & Culture Scrutiny Panel, 7pm, Committee Room 6

September 14 - Licensing Sub-Committee A, 6.30pm, committee room 4

September 15 - Greenwich Area Planning Committee, 6.30pm, committee rooms 4 & 5

More information on 020 8921 5130 or at [www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk/meetings](http://www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk/meetings)

All meeting dates and times are subject to change.

We would advise you to check before you travel.



# Bradley sniffs out fake Polish cigarettes



**SUPER SNIFFER SLEUTH:**  
Bradley gets to work, inset,  
the stash of illegal cigarettes  
hidden in the printer

A SNIFFER dog called Bradley helped council inspectors find a stash of counterfeit Polish cigarettes hidden in a disused printer behind the counter of an off-licence in Plumstead.

It led to Sadiq Jan, manager of the Seeray off-licence in Bannockburn Road, being fined £1,000 and ordered to pay costs totalling £2,412 when he appeared before magistrates at Bexley. He pleaded guilty to four offences involving storing and supplying counterfeit cigarettes.

The court heard the cigarettes did not meet fire safety standards and were a serious fire risk to anyone buying and smoking them.

The stash also included ten packs of Marlboro Gold intended for the Lithuanian market. Although genuine, their health warnings were in Lithuanian – contradicting UK laws requiring tobacco health messages to be printed in English.

Jan told council inspectors that friends would buy cigarettes for him when travelling to Eastern Europe. He confirmed he knew that the cigarettes were non-duty paid, and that some of them were counterfeit.

The prosecution was part of 'Keep it Out,' a council campaign against illicit tobacco sales launched last month. Cllr Jackie Smith, the cabinet member for community safety and environment, said: "People who are tempted to buy tobacco 'under the counter' or from illicit sources need to understand that they are buying unlicensed and untested products which pose a real risk to their health and, through the fire risk, the health of their families."

● **Anyone who suspects the illegal sale of tobacco or alcohol can call Royal Greenwich Trading Standards on 020 8921 8223 or Crimestoppers on 0800 555 111.**

# Homeless services best in the UK

Royal borough first to receive gold standard for tackling homelessness

The Royal Borough of Greenwich has become the most successful council in the country at preventing homelessness after receiving a top award from the Government.

It is now the first and only local authority in the country to achieve the Gold Standard award for tackling and preventing Homelessness including taking action against rogue landlords, preventing residents from becoming homeless and reducing the need for temporary accommodation.

Royal Greenwich is the only local authority that has achieved all 10 of the Gold Standard challenges in recognition of the fact that:

Last year the council prevented 1800 households from becoming homeless through their casework and support.

The Council's Welfare Reform Team prevented 225 families from becoming homeless last year, and has supported 229 into work.

Action was taken against rogue landlords and as a result improved property conditions, alongside providing support and assistance to those landlords wanting to provide good quality housing to homeless people.

During 2014-15 the council prevented 45 home owners from losing their homes, and provided advice to many more through the duty scheme which supports people at risk of repossession and other difficulties.

The council has reduced the number of

households in temporary accommodation by almost 60 per cent between 2008 and 2013. And has ended the use of temporary accommodation for 16-17 year olds, and limited the placement of families into shared accommodation to below 6 weeks.

Councillor Denise Hyland, Leader of the Royal Borough of Greenwich said:

"I'm really proud of the fact that we have become the first local authority in the country to achieve this award. Tackling homelessness is one of the biggest challenges facing councils across London and the UK and this award demonstrates our commitment to doing all we can to prevent homelessness through early

"Our commitment has local people at its heart and is all part of our aim is to ensure that everyone has a decent place to call their home."

intervention and targeted support for those most in need.

"Over the coming years we will continue to put our energy and resources into preventing homelessness and seek to raise our standards even higher. Our commitment has local people at its heart and is all part of our aim is to ensure that everyone has a decent place to call their home."

## Sign up to learn more about fostering

We hold regular information events for people who are interested in finding out more about fostering.

At the events you will meet foster carers and social workers who are involved in fostering for the Royal Borough of Greenwich.

### Venue:

The Woolwich Centre,  
Wellington Street,  
Woolwich SE18 6HQ

### Date and time:

Saturday 3 October 2015  
10am for a 10:15am start to 12pm

### Booking a place:

Sign up to come to a fostering event by filling in our online form on website shown at bottom of this page or contacting us by telephone.

freephone 0800 052 1499

[www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk/fostering](http://www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk/fostering)



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# Our ship's come in

by Ronnie Woods

**OVER 30,000 residents and visitors came out for the return of the tall ships over the August Bank Holiday weekend.**

Fifteen stylish sailing ships dropped anchor for Sail Royal Greenwich Tall Ships Festival 2015 bringing a festival atmosphere and a huge boost to local businesses and tourism.

The event ran from August 27-31 and

the public were invited to view and board some of the 13 ships in the Woolwich Royal Arsenal docks and two more based on Tall Ships Island in Greenwich.

In Woolwich, thousands turned out for a family festival featuring live shanty music, street theatre, historical characters, market stalls and fireworks every evening. And despite the drizzles, they turned out to wave off the fleet from Greenwich on Monday (August 31) when the ships left in an elegant parade.

During the festival, local businesses and stores ran special offers for visitors, with

64% of businesses surveyed reporting an increase in footfall and 55% saying takings had increased. Pubs, restaurants and cafés reported significant increases in takings between 20 and 50% and McDonalds reported sales up 11% over the previous year.

Sue Chatten, store manager at Linens Direct in Woolwich, gave a 10% discount on in-store on the Saturday. She said: "It's been brilliant. We've not seen this many people in Woolwich on a Saturday in over a year. The store has been so busy. It's definitely the event that's made the

## Last chance to comment on Eltham's big facelift plans

**THERE are just three days left for people to give their views on the £5 million improvements planned for Eltham town centre.**

The scheme aims to improve the look and feel of the place as well as the movement of people and traffic. Proposals include wider pavements, new street furniture, improved lighting, better provision for cyclists and enhanced public spaces.

Large-scale plans and a model of the Eltham scheme are on show during opening hours at the Eltham Centre in Archery Road until Friday (September 11). There is also a drop-in session where council officers and the design team can answer questions and discuss the plans on

Thursday (September 10) between 3pm and 7pm at the centre.

The scheme complements proposals for a new cinema and restaurant development in the former Co-op department store in the High Street (currently occupied by Poundland). A planning application for the development is due to be considered by the council's Planning Board next Thursday (September 17). Details of the proposal can be found at [www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk/planning](http://www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk/planning) (planning ref: 15/2152/F).

● **People can give their views on the plans for Eltham online at [elthamhighstreet.stickyworld.com/home](http://elthamhighstreet.stickyworld.com/home)**

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**STEADY STEER:** the Mayor Cllr Norman Adams, Cllr Miranda Williams and council leaders Denise Hyland with Sail Royal Greenwich organiser Laurens Winkel

**PICTURE:** crowds fill Woolwich town centre to enjoy the tall ships and the offers at local shops, pubs, cafes and restaurants

## Regatta boosts trade

difference and having more events like this would be great."

Jaap Van der Rest, the 58-year-old captain of the Loth Lorient, docked in Woolwich, said: "This is the fourth time we've come to the festival and I'm enjoying meeting all the visitors. I've been the captain for 25 years we're already looking forward to coming back."

Touring the Loth Lorient were Catherine Mason, with her niece and nephew from Woolwich. She said "The kids have never been on a boat before and the weather is just perfect for them to experience what

life is like for the sailors. They are really excited to learn all about sailing life and pirates and watch the fireworks later. It will be good to show what they have learnt to their teachers at school too."

Cllr Miranda Williams, the cabinet member for culture and creative industries, said: "Our stunning waterfront and historic maritime buildings provide the ideal backdrop for a large-scale event such as Tall Ships 2015. The economic benefits to our tourism industry are clear – it creates jobs, generates spending in our local businesses and gives us a firm footing on the global stage."

The royal borough welcomes the tall ships again over the Easter weekend in April 2017 for the start of the Sail Training International Rendez-vous Tall Ships Regatta 2017.

● Visit [www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk](http://www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk)

## Poor odds for benefit fraudsters

**FRAUDSTERS** can bet on being caught out by the council's anti-fraud team who discovered a resident who claimed over £10,000 in benefits whilst working in a bookies.

Susan Ogunjobi, 22, from Charlton was sentenced to 12 weeks imprisonment, suspended for 12 months and ordered to undertake 150 hours unpaid work in the community at a court hearing on August 20 at Bexley Magistrates Court. It follows

her failure to declare to both the council and the Department of Work and Pensions (DWP) that she had been paid to work at a bookmaker for 18 months. Ms Ogunjobi was found guilty of five offences of benefit fraud under the Social Security Administration Act 1992. The benefits fraudulently claimed amounted to £6,042.66 in overpaid Housing Benefit and £4,110.56 in overpaid Income Support. She was ordered to pay the council's

costs of £400 and compensation of £5,000.

Cllr Maureen O'Mara, the borough's cabinet member for customer services and IT, who has responsibility for anti-fraud said: "The council's anti-fraud team has an excellent reputation in identifying and bringing fraudsters to court so the odds were always stacked against her. Our message is loud and clear – if you cheat the system we will find you and we will prosecute you."

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# ROYAL BOROUGH OF GREENWICH TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING ACT 1990 – SECTION 247 PROPOSED STOPPING UP OF PART OF THE HIGHWAY NEAR THE NORTHERN EXTREMITY OF PEARTREE WAY

1. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Council of the Royal Borough of Greenwich intends to make an Order under section 247 of the Town and Country Planning Act 1990, entitled the Royal Borough of Greenwich (Stopping Up of Highways) (Thames Link Path – Cycle Way at Northern End of Peartree Way) Order 2015.
2. The general effect of the Order would be to authorise the stopping up of the area of highway immediately south of that part of the Thames Link Path being a cycle way extending west of the northern extremity of Peartree Way, that area having a maximum length of 31.7 metres and maximum width of 1.15 metres at the westernmost end of that length and 1.54 metres at the easternmost end of that length so as to enable the development described in the Schedule to this Notice to take place. The term "stopping-up" means that this area of highway would cease to be public highway.
3. If the Order is made, the stopping-up would only be authorised in order to enable the development described in the Schedule to this Notice to be carried out in accordance with the planning permission granted to Taylor Wimpey on 5<sup>th</sup> December 2012, reference 12/000210.
4. A copy of the proposed Order and the relevant plan are available for inspection by any person, free of charge, during normal office hours until the expiry of those normal office hours on 4<sup>th</sup> October 2015 at the Directorate of Regeneration, Enterprise and Skills, Strategic Transportation, Royal Borough of Greenwich, The Woolwich Centre, 35 Wellington Street, SE18 6HQ. Those documents may be obtained free of charge on written application to the Council at the Royal Borough of Greenwich, PO Box 485, Kemp House, 152-160 City Road, London, EC1V 2NL, quoting reference PCL/SBD/CW/1000002581.
5. Any person who wishes to object to the making of the proposed Order should send a statement in writing by 4<sup>th</sup> October 2015, specifying the grounds on which any objection is made, to the Council at the following address: the Royal Borough of Greenwich, PO Box 485, Kemp House, 152-160 City Road, London, EC1V 2NL, quoting reference PCL/SBD/CW/1000002581.
6. Persons objecting to the proposed Order should be aware that in view of the Local Government (Access to Information) Act 1985, this Council would be legally obliged to make any comments received in response to this notice, open to public inspection.

Assistant Director, Strategic Transportation  
The Woolwich Centre,  
35 Wellington Street,  
SE18 6HQ

Dated 8<sup>th</sup> September 2015  
(JUNCTION REF: 1000002581)

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## SCHEDULE

(DESCRIPTION OF DEVELOPMENT – see paragraph 3 above)  
A mixed-use development comprising flats and houses, local retail, commercial and community uses, specifically Block 105 and car parking in relation to the development.

# Walking a fine line

## Visiting mayor treks the Meridian for charity drive

by Zach Emmanuel

**EAGER fundraisers crossed the line by ending a sponsored walk in Royal Greenwich.**

But they received a warm welcome from the royal borough's deputy mayor Olu Babatola and they stood in separate time zones to shake hands over the Meridian Line

up at the Royal Observatory.

The walker was David Underwood, the Mayor of Godmanchester in Cambridgeshire who completed the fundraiser aptly entitled as the G2G charity walk.

David started the 96-mile trek with his wife Wendy on August 1 and the pair walked between the two towns on or as close to the zero Meridian.

They arrived in Greenwich on August 27, raising over

£800. The money will be shared across the Cambridgeshire mayor's charities: The Richmond Fellowship, Soldiers, Sailors, Airmen and Families Association (SSAFA) and the Hunts Community Cancer Network (HCCN).

David said: "The walk was varied through rural and urban landscapes. We met a range of interesting people and were undeterred by appalling weather during the final week.

Greenwich was at first just a destination, but the hospitality and welcome of the deputy mayor Olu Babatola made it feel as if we had come home! It's a great place with great people."

Cllr Babatola said: "It's been a pleasure to meet them, they are a lovely couple. I've wished them many, many congratulations on achieving their goal for the walk and I look forward to meeting them again."

LINE DANCING: the deputy mayor offers his congratulations to the Mayor of Godmanchester

## Plumstead Law centre on the move

PLUMSTEAD Law Centre will be moving from its current premises at 105 Plumstead High Street to the offices of Greenwich Housing Rights at 36 Wellington Street, Woolwich at the end of the month. Between Monday September 14 and Wednesday September 30, casework will continue as

usual but the Law Centre offices will only be open to existing clients. The Law Centre will be open to the public again at 36 Wellington Street from Thursday 1 October. **● For further details visit [www.pcl.org.uk](http://www.pcl.org.uk) or call 0208 855 9817.**

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## Hotel apologies

APOLOGIES to owners and managers at the Mercure Hotel in Catherine Grove, Greenwich. Our report Reservations for room service (GT September 1) carried an incorrect spelling of the hotel's name and we referred to the 4 star hotel as a B&B.

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# High-flying Shani is Oxford-bound

by Dick Townsend-Smith

**A FORMER Plumstead Manor school pupil is off to Oxford University, buoyed up by £16,000 in grants that she has raised herself.**

Shani Page-Muir, 21, from Shooters Hill, spent five years at Plumstead Manor, raised £10,000 through a crowdfunding website, which uses the internet to get cash pledges from large numbers of donors. She is also getting a £6,000 scholarship from the Peaceful Progress Foundation charity.

Shani recently graduated from Leeds University with a first class honours degree in international development and politics. Her course included studying at a university in Ghana for six months. She said: "This was definitely a catalyst for my passion for learning and understanding about the complexities of modern Africa. As a British Caribbean of African descent, I am passionate about challenging the negative perceptions of the African continent, and communicating a history that is

more than just famine, poverty and war."

She was offered a place at Oxford to do a Masters degree in African studies, but needed to raise the funds to see her through. She said: "I hope the Masters degree will enable me to work towards becoming a professor in African Studies eventually a diplomat."

She added: "I feel really positive after raising the money. The Peaceful Progress Foundation is a new charity which helps students to gain scholarships and offers leadership and mentoring, and they want me to help set it up."

"Oxford has offered me a bursary as well, so I'm now fully covered. I feel really overwhelmed and can't quite believe it. It was the first time I had used crowdfunding. I had a lot of ideas for it, and I set myself a 21-day challenge called '21 smiles'. On day 18 of the campaign, I exceeded my target with three days to go!"

"My academic journey to date has been an interesting one - from achieving 11 A\*- A at my local comprehensive school to being in the top two per cent of my cohort at university - I've come to learn that all things are possible."

## Pharmacist Christina wants your vote

A chemist from the Rose Pharmacy in Creek Road, Greenwich, has been short-listed in a national competition to find Great Britain's best-loved pharmacist. Christina Spyridou has been recognised as a star performer, and now she needs people's votes to reach the competition's next stage.

Recently Christina and her team were involved in the council's campaign to raise cancer awareness. She spotted a patient with a suspicious cough, who was then referred and his diagnose of lung cancer was caught early. The campaign, called 'Tip the Balance', enables residents to take advantage of free, confidential advice from their pharmacist to check for signs and symptoms of cancer.

● To vote for Christina as the regional winner visit [www.ilovemypharmacist.co.uk](http://www.ilovemypharmacist.co.uk) before September 29. For details of local pharmacists who offer confidential advice on the signs of cancer, visit the 'Tip the Balance' pharmacy pages at [www.greenwichhealthyliving.nhs.uk](http://www.greenwichhealthyliving.nhs.uk)

HIGH-FLYER: Shani Page-Muir

ALL HIRED: the Eltham Tigers, Martin Atkinson, Manjula Rabadia, Mike Matthews in tiger suit and Juliana Cooper celebrate their win



## Bankers get all 'fired up' to support hospice

BANKING managers from Natwest raised £1,760 for the Greenwich and Bexley Community Hospice when they held a fund-raiser based on television's 'The Apprentice'.

Teams went into the hospice's charity shops in the area, and used their skills to sell goods to shoppers and drum up donations. They also sold savouries, sweets and cakes, teas and coffees, and ran raffles.

All the teams met up at the end of the day when 'Lord Sugar', alias area manager Richard Webb, announced the three winning teams. They were 'Vanquish' from Plumstead, the 'Eltham Tigers' and 'Scully's Storm Troopers' from Blackfen.

Senior private banking manager Manjula Rabadia, from the Eltham Tigers, said: "We have done several community days at the hospice, and I have to say that despite the rain, this was fun, fast and very competitive due to the Apprentice theme. I was amazed at the support we received from the high street public despite it being a wet day."

"Greenwich and Bexley is our local hospice and very close to our hearts. We have been raising funds through donations and volunteer days for the past four years. We have also promoted the hospice in all our south-east branches."

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## Notice of Appeal against Refusal of Planning Permission

### Submission of Updated Environmental Statement and Other Appeal Documents

Town and Country Planning (Development Management Procedure) (England) Order 2015

The Town and Country Planning (Environmental Impact Assessment) Regulations 2011 (EIA Regulations)

Town and Country Planning Appeals (Determination by Inspectors) (Inquiries Procedure) (England) Rules 2000

Appeal Reference: **APP/G5750/W/15/3035673** Date of Notice: **7 SEPTEMBER 2015**

Proposed development at: **London City Airport, Hartmann Road, Silvertown, London, E16 2PX**

Appellant: **London City Airport Limited**

Local Planning Authority: **London Borough of Newham, 1000 Dockside Road, London, E16 2QU**

I give notice that London City Airport Limited having applied to the London Borough of Newham on 26 July 2013, for planning permission to deliver the 'City Airport Development Programme' (CADP) referred to as CADP1 (Planning Application 13/01228/FUL) appealed to the Secretary of State against the refusal of planning permission on 15 May 2015. The proposals are to be considered at a Public Inquiry commencing on 15 March 2016.

**This notice is to advise you that on or before 11 September 2015 the appellant (London City Airport Limited) is submitting an Updated Environmental Statement containing updates to the previous Environmental Statement. It is also submitting a Consolidated Application Plans Folder, a Proposed Minor Changes Folder and an Updated Reports Folder (with updates to the Transport Assessment, Health Impact Assessment and Need Statement) in respect of the proposals below.**

Planning Appeal for CADP1: Works to demolish existing buildings and structures and provide additional infrastructure and passenger facilities at London City Airport. Full planning permission is being sought for:

*(a) Demolition of existing buildings and structures; (b) 4 no. upgraded aircraft stands and 7 new aircraft parking stands; (c) Extension and modification of the existing airfield, including the creation of an extended taxiway; (d) Emergency vehicle access point over King George V Dock; (e) Replacement landside Forecourt to include vehicle circulation, pick up and drop off areas and hard and soft landscaping; (f) Eastern Extension to the existing Terminal Building (including alteration works to the existing Terminal); (g) Construction of a 3 storey passenger pier to the east of the existing Terminal; (h) Erection of Noise Barriers; (i) Western Extension and alterations to the existing Terminal; (j) Western Energy Centre, storage, ancillary accommodation and landscaping; (k) Facilitation Works including temporary coaching facility and extension to the outbound baggage area; (l) Upgrading works to Hartmann Road; (m) Passenger and staff parking, car hire parking, taxi feeder park and ancillary and related work; (n) Eastern Energy Centre; (o) Dock Source Heat Exchange System within King George V Dock; and (p) Ancillary and related work.*

The Updated Environmental Statement, Consolidated Application Plans Folder, Proposed Minor Changes Folder and Updated Reports Folder as well as an accompanying Guide to the submitted material can be viewed online at: [www.londoncityairport.com/cadp](http://www.londoncityairport.com/cadp) or [www.newham.gov.uk/pa](http://www.newham.gov.uk/pa). In addition, members of the public may inspect paper copies of the same documents at the following locations (opening hours below are accurate at the time of writing):

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You may obtain a paper copy of the additional information (while stocks last) for a cost of £200 for each volume (excluding postage and packing), copies of the Non-Technical Summary may be obtained free of charge. Alternatively, a CD Rom version of the additional information, including a track changed version of the Updated Environmental Statement, is available free of charge from: RPS Planning and Development, 14 Cornhill, London, EC3V 3ND or by calling RPS on 020 7280 3200.

Any person wishing to make representations about this appeal and the updated information should write to the Planning Inspectorate using the following address: Leanne Palmer, Major Casework, Planning Inspectorate, 3/26 Hawk Wing, Temple Quay House, 2 The Square, Bristol, BS1 6PN, or via email using: [londoncityairport.comments@pins.gsi.gov.uk](mailto:londoncityairport.comments@pins.gsi.gov.uk) or online at: <http://www.planningportal.gov.uk/planning/appeals/online/comment> quoting the appeal reference APP/G5750/W/15/3035673. **The deadline for submitting representations is Monday 26 October 2015.**

Signed: **London City Airport Limited**

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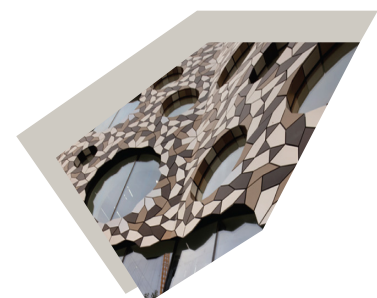
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# Mabel Polley House is born again

A new development of one and two-bedroom flats for local people aged 60 and over is due to open over the next few months.

The new Mabel Polley House is being developed on the site of the old Mabel Polley House on Woolwich Common, after serving the community as a care home for elderly people since 1978.

The new development of 37 one-bedroom and eight two-bedroom flats is designed to suit the needs of older people and can be adapted to meet their needs as they change. The scheme is all part of the council's housing plans for older people, which include upgrading sheltered schemes and developing new 'senior living' homes that provide modern, purpose-built accommodation.

The new five-storey building was visited last



TOPPING OUT: Cllr Chris Kirby, council leader Cllr Denise Hyland and MP Matthew Pennycook check on building work at the development

Tuesday (September 1) by council leader Cllr Denise Hyland, Woolwich MP Matthew Pennycook, and Cllr Chris Kirby, the council's cabinet member for housing and human resources.

Cllr Kirby said: "This is a wonderful housing development for people who are over 60. This new scheme will help provide attractive, modern homes for older people, and give some the opportunity to move out of larger council properties, meaning they will save on heating and fuel costs.

"We see people who are

over 60 as a priority group in the royal borough. Many are living in homes that no longer meet their needs. This new development is providing specialist homes that meet the needs of the residents as they change over time. Priority is given to residents who are currently under-occupying, which is an opportunity to free up larger homes for families in need."

The original Mabel Polley House was named after a local councillor who served between 1945 and 1968 and was Mayor of Woolwich in 1962-63.

# Memorial for African slaves



**COMMUNITY** reps gathered to highlight the plight of African slaves who lived, worked and died in the royal borough at a special memorial last month.

They met around a tree planted in the grounds of Charlton House five years ago after the efforts of community stalwart Mrs Mavis Best.

The memorial was dedicated to African slaves who toiled in the borough in the 1600-1800s and came ahead of events at the National Maritime Museum to mark International Slavery Remembrance Day on August 23.

The Charlton event was opened by Fabian Best, treasurer of the Greenwich African Caribbean

Organisation with ex councillors and former mayors Janet and Jim Gillman in attendance.

Baroness Ros Howells of St David's, OBE was unable to attend but sent a statement of support read by Ann-Marie Cousins, chair of the Greenwich African Caribbean Organisation.

Former mayor Janet Gillman said: "I was there for the planting of the tree nearly five years ago and am happy to be here to see what this now stands for and will continue to support this initiative into the future."

● Learn more about Greenwich African Caribbean Organisation by contacting Ann-Marie Cousins at [gacwo3210@gmail.com](mailto:gacwo3210@gmail.com) or call on 07986 603036.

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# A community united



**ALL NATIONS:** all cultures and all ages join the campaign to raise money and donate supplies after a council appeal, far right, council leaders sign a book of condolence

## SIMON BANKS meets fundraisers who were recognised for their efforts during the nepalese earthquake aid campaign

**UNSUNG HEROS** have been given special thanks from Nepalese diplomats for exceptional contributions to the Nepal earthquake disaster appeal at a celebration event at the Nepalese embassy.

The disaster that devastated the country in April left millions of people injured and without shelter. Royal borough residents from all backgrounds rallied together to support the appeal with an astounding fundraising effort netting over £50,000 along with over 20 tonnes of donations. And last Saturday, the Nepali Nursing Association UK (NNAUK), based in Abbey Wood, invited guests to the Nepalese embassy in Kensington

where volunteers and fundraisers were recognised and thanked by Nepalese government representatives.

The event coincided with the group's seventh anniversary and the event was attended by the Greenwich Mayor Norman Adams.

Amongst those who were extended a special thanks was Sonia Thapa and her husband Fatta Thapa who have lived in Charlton for over 20 years. Together they coordinated the appeal in partnership with community organisations including NNAUK, to provide much needed aid to the country.

Sonia is a member of the Skills and Care organisation, a community-led social enterprise established to support the local Nepalese community.

The group led the local aid effort and worked with NNAUK to send nurses to Nepal to treat victims and provide necessary materials.

"There's a large Nepalese community in the royal borough and the disaster was felt by everyone here as well as in Nepal. The local community acted in a commendable way to ensure all that could be done was done, and the way everyone rallied together was truly humbling," Sonia told GT.

Soon after the disaster, the council launched an appeal asking residents to donate any items they could to a collection drive at Woolwich Town Hall. They called for sleeping bags, blankets, wind up or solar torches, toiletries, dried fruit, cartons or bottles of water, fruit juice and long-

life milk, children's clothing, baby food and milk, cereals, biscuits and packet food, cutlery, plates and cups. And local people of all communities reacted providing much-needed provisions in record speed.

Volunteers were given thanks at the event, including Nina Long from Woolwich, the eldest of the volunteers at 94, who worked tirelessly to support the appeal. Volunteers Pushpa Sing and Teresa Bailey, local photographer Chris Mansfield and councillor Paul Morrissey were also recognised as was actor Edward Akroft and Shelby Welinger who delivered donations to victims in Nepal.

Sonia said: "I coordinated the collection at the town hall and I

'The earthquake may have destroyed homes but it will never destroy the spirit of t



# d for Nepal



## Donations are well received in Nepal

**THE South Asian country of Nepal was devastated by a natural disaster on April 25 2015, when a 7.8 magnitude earthquake struck near the capital of Kathmandu. It affected the lives of nearly eight million people, who were killed, injured or left without food and shelter, igniting a worldwide appeal for aid.**

Supported by the royal borough, community groups and the Embassy of Nepal, the Skills and Care team in the UK worked tirelessly to help meet the urgent needs of survivors with entire areas destroyed.

Skills and Care director Bivek

Shrestha flew to Nepal to work with a team of nurses and other volunteers on the ground. Many British Nepalese nurses volunteered to travel back to assist victims of the worst natural disaster to strike the country - the first earthquake for 80 years. Over 6,000 victims in remote areas received aid after volunteers travelled on dirt tracks for up to three hours to deliver medicines, food, clothes and other materials.

Bivek stressed: "The work we were able to do in Nepal was down to the generous donations and contributions from the local community in Greenwich and it is much appreciated."



**REACHING REMOTE AREAS:** right, nurses from the UK Nepali association hand out medication and supplies in Nepal, left actor Edward Arkrout meets some of the young earthquake victims



was completely taken back by the volume of support, we had over 20 tonnes of donations and several volunteers helping to sort through the donations and pack them to be sent. All donations made a significant impact to improving the lives of victims of the disaster in Nepal."

Teacher Deborah O'Boyle was the fund-raising officer at Bannockburn Primary School and she was thanked for her contribution to the appeal.

She told GT: "I first heard about the earthquake disaster when I watched coverage on the television news. I immediately

thought of the Nepalese community we have in Plumstead so I contacted the headteacher at the school to find out if there was anything we could do to raise money for the appeal."

Deborah, who is also a member of the Plumstead Make Merry organisation, coordinated fundraising events from food and cake sales to information events and appeals to parents and organisations for funds.

She said: "I worked closely with Sonia, who worked tirelessly to coordinate the appeal on a larger scale. I was touched by the response from everyone at the school, the children, the parents and staff were great and the overall response from the community in Plumstead was

excellent. Not only did it help provide much needed aid to the people of Nepal, it also brought the community here together."

Several local schools carried out fundraising events in addition to Bannockburn, including Cherry Orchard School, Charlton Manor School and Eglington primary making significant contributions to the appeal.

There were also corporate donations from the O2 Arena in North Greenwich and Canary Wharf who donated £5,000 each as well as the Greenwich Islamic Centre, which donated £1,000 to the cause, as well as donations from the council.

Sushila Karki, president of the

NNAUK told GT: "The support we received from Greenwich was great, it included logistics and cargo funds that was invaluable in the time of need. Our 20 nurses went to Nepal to help earthquake victims, some had even lost homes and family in the disaster too, and they made a significant impact in rebuilding communities in Nepal."

She added: "The support we received was deeply touching and felt by those most affected by the earthquake."

"The earthquake may have destroyed homes but it will never destroy the spirit of the Nepali people and the love, care and support from the Greenwich community."

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# Just dance

GREENWICH Dance has teamed up with two top dance organisations to create a brand new series of affordable classes and courses this autumn.

The classes are the result of a collaborated programme by Greenwich Dance (GDA) 'State of Emergency' and 'Maggie Dance' that begin this month.

For female dance graduates aged 16 and above, 'Re-position' is a programme from State of Emergency and GDA specially tailored to support the career development. Classes include weekly technique and choreographic sessions with Canadian dance dynamo Ingrid Mackinnon and a range of guest choreographers hosting sessions in a variety of styles each term.

There's an 'Inclusive Contemporary Beginners class' open to adults of all abilities from Maggie Dance, accompanied by live music the sessions are a chance to strengthen contemporary dance skills in an inclusive setting for people with and without disabilities.

Constance Gibbs, project co-ordinator at GDA said: "We are very excited to be working in partnership with two outstanding dance organisations to present a series of new courses and classes this term. We hope this will continue to increase our offer for both local people and professional dance artists."

Regular adult evening courses started yesterday (September 7) and include Ballroom, Ballet, Healthy Spine, Mobile Joints with The Feldenkrais Method, Lindy Hop, Pilates, Salsa and Tango. There is also a range of drop-in classes to try including Contemporary, Egyptian Belly Dancing, Flamenco, Yoga and Zumba.

● The Re-Position programme is £21 per term, other prices start from £49 for 7 weeks. Visit [www.greenwichdance.org.uk](http://www.greenwichdance.org.uk) or call 020 8293 9741

# Railway poems and art on track

POET Nancy Hynes has taken inspiration from the railway – specifically – Greenwich station and its employees to create a number of poems dedicated to it.

Nancy's poetry, and the works of local artists showing diverse images of Greenwich Station are being displayed at the Made in Greenwich Gallery, 324 Creek Rd, throughout September. The display Greenwich Station Revisited in Art and Poetry is free and the result of a community partnership project with Southeastern Railway and the Made in Greenwich Gallery. It runs until Thursday, September 24. There'll be a reading of 'The Sting of Speed and the Solace of Motion': Railway poems from Greenwich and beyond on Tuesday, September 22, at 7.30 pm. Tickets £7, including wine. Gallery open Tuesday to Sunday 11am to 5.30pm.

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Several recent new movies, and others due for release soon, have been filmed in locations around Royal Greenwich putting a new spin on the term 'scene stealing'. Iconic buildings and quirky corners around the borough are also featured in TV shows, commercials and music videos.

Keep an eye out for the Old Royal Naval College in 'The Man from U.N.C.L.E.' and 'Mortdecai', the Thames River Path and Greenwich Pier in 'Jupiter Ascending', the Woolwich Town Hall in 'Absolutely Anything' and Caradoc Street in 'Legend' starring Tom Hardy releasing on Friday (September 11). Caradoc Street in Greenwich was used to portray the Krays family home in the 1990 film starring Martin and Gary Kemp.

TV shows such as the BBC's 'MasterChef', 'River', 'The Southbank Show', 'Jekyll and Hyde' have also been shot in the royal borough along with commercials for 'McDonalds', 'Shell', 'Bupa' and 'Land Rover'. A music video for Ella Eyre's 'Good Times' has also recently been filmed in locations around the borough.

As well as its range of locations, the area is increasingly popular with film makers thanks to the Greenwich Film Unit, the first dedicated film office set up by a London borough which promotes and facilitates filming and photography within the

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Details of more events at [www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk/whatson](http://www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk/whatson)

## SHOOTERS HILL

Home-Start's wine tasting fundraiser evening, September 11, 8-10pm, Shrewsbury House, Bushmoor Crescent. Tickets £25, to book contact Kate on 020 8317 4298 or email [kate.shrager@homestartgreenwich.org.uk](mailto:kate.shrager@homestartgreenwich.org.uk)

## BLACKHEATH

Mycenae House, 90 Mycenae Road, September 18, 7.30-10pm, Global Fusion Music and Arts hosts a musical celebration for the International Day of Peace, tickets £10, £9 concs from [www.wegottickets.com](http://www.wegottickets.com), call 020 8858 9497 or visit [www.globalfusionarts.co.uk](http://www.globalfusionarts.co.uk)

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SCREEN SHOTS: right and below, some of the locations on offer in the borough and previous GT stories on recent shoots

## Smoke and mirrors



IAN LAMONT talks to the director of a new TV series shot in Greenwich

## Builder thrilled with latest film

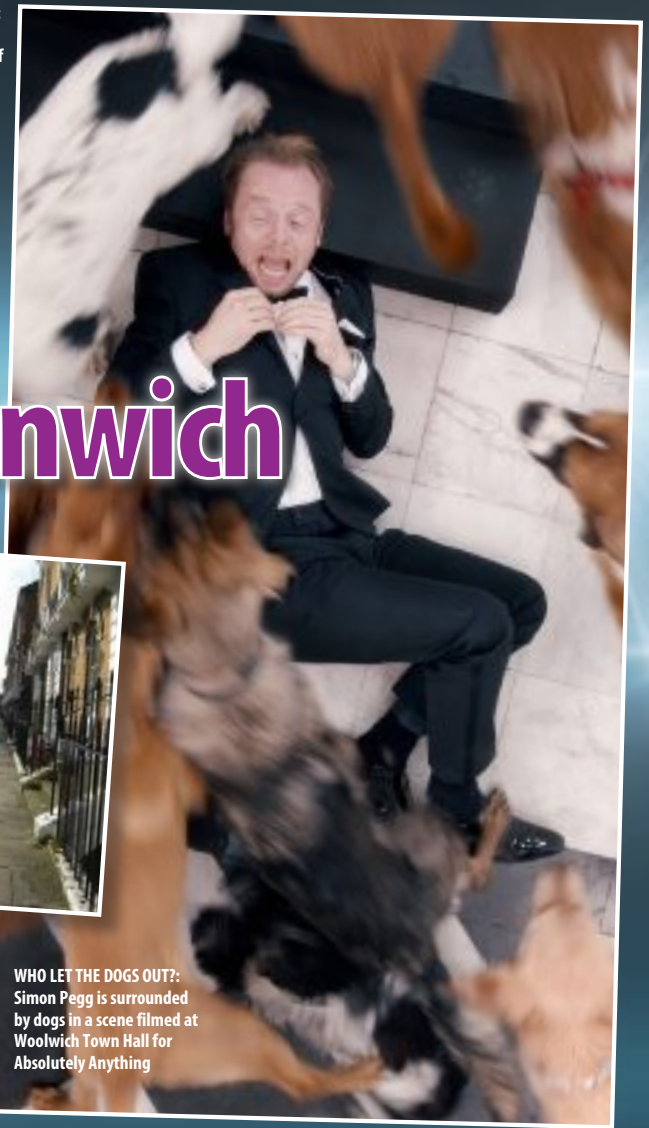


royal borough. Royal borough council leader Cllr Denise Hyland, said: "Greenwich is a unique location offering all sorts of filming opportunities and the range of filming helps to showcase our wonderful borough to the world. The fact that we've got a very proficient

film unit to help film-makers make the most the area makes it easy for them to shoot. It all helps to create interest from other film productions and contributes to boosting local tourism. Movie fans can also take a Lights Camera Action tour at the ORNC, which allows you

to follow in the footsteps of the stars and get a behind-the-scenes look at how some of the films were shot on site at the college. For more information on the Greenwich Film Unit, visit [www.filmgreenwich.com](http://www.filmgreenwich.com). Book your tickets for the ORNC Film Tour at [www.ornc.org/filming](http://www.ornc.org/filming)

WHO LET THE DOGS OUT?: Simon Pegg is surrounded by dogs in a scene filmed at Woolwich Town Hall for Absolutely Anything



## WHAT'S ON

### BLACKHEATH

Blackheath Halls, 23 Lee Rd – Laughing Boy Comedy Club, Thursdays, monthly, 8pm, Recital Room, September 24, October 22, tickets £10. Monday lunch classical music, every other Monday, 1.10pm, Recital Room, September 21, FREE with an optional donation to Blackheath Halls. Call 020 8463 0100, visit [www.trinitylaban.ac.uk/blackheath-halls](http://www.trinitylaban.ac.uk/blackheath-halls) Until September 29 - Coastal Scenes, an exhibition of paintings by Christina Angelini

### WOOLWICH

Community choir meets Wednesdays 6.30 – 8pm £2 weekly (no membership and no auditions), includes a drink, Public Hall, Wellington Street, (entrance via Town Hall). Call Wendy on 07812 477775, visit: [www.woolwichsingers.co.uk](http://www.woolwichsingers.co.uk)

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Caribbean Social Forum, Thursdays, 12-3pm, The Tramshed, 51-53 Woolwich New Road. Events and activities for over 50s, £3. Tel 0844 357 3700, email [caribbeansocialforum@gmail.com](mailto:caribbeansocialforum@gmail.com)

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### ELTHAM

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### BLACKHEATH

September 23, 6.45pm-9pm – free women's health talk, Le Bouchon wine bar. Limited spaces available, so book now by emailing your name to [info@rootfitness.co.uk](mailto:info@rootfitness.co.uk) or texting us on 07795485426.

BLACKHEATH Halls presents a diverse and exciting programme of arts this month including comedy, folk, classical and community events, as well as being the main rehearsal and performance venue for the nearby Trinity Laban Conservatoire of Music and Dance.

Highlights include regular classical music and comedy events. This month sees classical music from Alison Moncrieff and Esther Cavett on cello and piano, on September 21 at 1.10pm in the Recital Room; September 24 sees the start of monthly comedy from the Laughing Boy Comedy Club on Thursdays at 8pm featuring the likes of Josh Widdicombe (pictured); and Rob Beckett is the Mouth of the South on September 26. A dotty old woman takes you on a nursery rhyme journey when Old Mother Hubbard and her Cupboard is performed by the Galic Theatre on September 26 and there's a spoken word performance by author Patricia Duncker, Professor of Contemporary Literature at the University of Manchester, on September 30.

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South East London CCGs and NHS England Primary Care Joint Committees

### Commissioning of Local GP practice services in Greenwich

#### NHS Greenwich Primary Care Joint Committee

**Meeting held in public at 6.00pm on 29 September 2015 at:**  
**Bexley Chambers of Commerce**

The Primary Care Joint Committees of the six Clinical Commissioning Groups (CCGs) in south east London (NHS Bexley CCG, NHS Bromley CCG, NHS Greenwich CCG, NHS Lambeth CCG, NHS Lewisham CCG and NHS Southwark CCG) and NHS England will meet in public to undertake their responsibilities in respect of planning, commissioning and contracting general practice services on the evening of 29 September 2015.

Primary Care Joint Committees are committees of the local CCG Governing Body and NHS England who have formally agreed to commission local general practice services under section 83 of the NHS Act.

Whilst each CCG is focusing upon its local borough based services, the six CCGs in south east London have agreed to work collaboratively with NHS England as the contract holders for primary medical service providers (general practices) and will meet together to undertake their responsibilities for:

- Planning primary medical services (including carrying out and responding to local needs assessments).
- Reviewing and seeking to improve and support the development of local general practice.
- Managing and ensuring the commissioning of good quality services within the budgets available to pay for them.

CCGs and NHS England recognise the importance of high quality, safe and accessible primary care services and are committed to working together to secure them locally.

The third meeting of the Greenwich committee will be held in public together with the other five borough committees in south east London on:

**29 September 2015 between 6.00pm and 8.30pm**  
**Bexley Council Chamber, London Borough of Bexley, Civic Offices**  
**2 Watling Street, Bexleyheath, Kent DA6 7AT**

These are meetings held in public and members of the public are invited to attend. Members of the public can submit questions in advance by emailing [Gilbert.George2@nhs.net](mailto:Gilbert.George2@nhs.net) by midday on 28 September 2015.

Agenda and papers can be found on the CCG website at <http://www.greenwichccg.nhs.uk/About-Us/Pages/Primary-Care-Joint-Committee-meetings.aspx> or from Colin Nash, Corporate Secretary on 020 3049 9059, one week before the meeting.

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Please note that there will still be some properties with age restrictions so only people of this age group can apply for these.

### BAND

- A** is for applicants in unsatisfactory housing, including people moving due to demolition and those underoccupying their homes.
- B** is for applicants the Royal Borough of Greenwich must prioritise according to the law, particularly homeless people, and others with an urgent need to move for medical or welfare reasons.
- C** is for all applicants on the housing register, including those that are in priority bands A and B.

## How do I apply?

**1**

### Get on the list

First, you've got to be on the housing waiting list to join the scheme. If you're not, register an application on line at [www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk](http://www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk)

**2**

### Find your applicant number

It will be on the letter you've already had from the Royal Borough of Greenwich about the new scheme. You'll need that number and the reference number of the property you're after, which will be on the advert.

**3**

### Pick out your ideal property

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Click on your preference on the website. If you don't have a computer, you can always use one for free at either The Eltham or Woolwich Centre or a local library.

**4**

### Apply in one of three ways

- Text bidding is now available and the number to use is 07786207913. For further information please see page 2, or
- Phone the 24-hour hotline 020 8921 4340. It's an automatic push-button system and calls will be charged at the normal local rate, or
- Via the Royal Borough of Greenwich's website [www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk/homes](http://www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk/homes)

**The next edition of GreenwichHomes will be available on Wednesday 16 September 2015 at midday. Closing date for all applications for this issue is midnight on Sunday 13 September 2015.**

## 24-hour hotline

The Greenwich Homes (Choice Based Lettings) Telephone Bidding Line is available in:  
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Somali 020 8921 4345

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**Choice hotline 020 8921 4340**

# GreenwichHomes

Royal Borough of Greenwich's Choice Based Lettings Scheme

**Anyone on the housing list can apply for these**



Ref Number: 203897  
**Nightingale Vale SE18**  
3 Bed Hse Gdn  
Rad C/H  
**£125.26 pw**



Ref Number: 204323  
**John Wilson St SE18**  
2 Bed 2nd Flr Mais  
Unlifted Entry phn  
Rad C/H  
**£103.39 pw**



Ref Number: 204397  
**Ruegg Hse Woolwich Common SE18**  
1 Bed 4th Flr Flat  
Lifted Entry phn  
Rad C/H  
**£102.96 pw**

**If you are bidding for houses under Band C you must have 1 child under 16 years**



Ref Number: 204410  
**Shenfield Hse Portway Gdns SE18**  
2 Bed 7th Flr Flat  
Lifted Rad C/H  
**£107.64 pw**



Ref Number: 204432  
**Rockfield Hse Welland St SE10**  
3 Bed 2nd Flr Flat  
Lifted Entry phn  
Rad C/H  
**£124.22 pw**



Ref Number: 204433  
**Acworth Hse Barnfield Rd SE18**  
2 Bed 4th Flr Flat  
Lifted Entry phn  
Rad C/H  
**£108.09 pw**



Ref Number: 204473  
**Kingsholm Gdns SE9**  
2 Bed Hse | Gdn  
Rad C/H  
**£119.83 pw**



Ref Number: 204512  
**Polthorne Gr SE18**  
Bedsit Grnd Flr Flat  
Rad C/H No Pkg  
**£87.08 pw**

## IMPORTANT INFORMATION

Please note you must tell us as soon as possible if there is any change in the information you have given on your form. If you do not do so, your application will be invalid.

**Please note that households cannot claim housing benefit for heating or hot water charges.**



Ref Number: 204552  
**Beryl Hse Spinel CI SE18**  
2 Bed 7th Flr Flat Lifted  
Entry phn Combi Boiler &  
1 Rad & Gas Fire  
**£107.64 pw**

## HOW TO BID FOR ADVERTISED PROPERTIES BY TEXT

If you would like to bid by text, please use the following Text Bidding Number: **0778 620 7913** and type:

**CBL**, the **property reference number** and your **applicant number**.

The property reference will be on the advert and your applicant number is on the letter we sent to you when you registered for housing.

A successful bid will look like this:

**CBL 179104 12191**

You will need to do a separate text for each property you wish to bid for and the text is charged at your mobile provider's standard rate. You will receive a text response to confirm your bid within 5 minutes.

## Seaside and Country Scheme

This scheme offers one and two bedroom flats and bungalows on the Coast and in the countryside, in the South East and West of England.

**In order to be considered you must be:**

- A Council or Housing Association tenant
- At least 60 years old (if someone is moving with you they must be over 55 years old).

Your removal costs will be met if you are a Council tenant and you do move to a Seaside and Country home. To register, or find out more about the scheme, contact the Access and Allocation section on Tel: 020 8921 2941

If you are a Housing Association tenant you need to contact your landlord to register.

Further information is available from the scheme management organisation at

[www.housingmoves.org](http://www.housingmoves.org)



Choice hotline 020 8921 4340

# GreenwichHomes

Royal Borough of Greenwich's Choice Based Lettings Scheme

Anyone on the housing list can apply for these



Ref Number: 204570  
**Rainham CI SE9**  
2 Bed Hse Gdn  
Rad C/H  
**£126.80 pw**



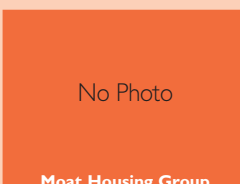
Ref Number: 204612  
**Marmadon Rd SE18**  
3 Bed Hse Gdn  
Rad C/H  
**£122.22 pw**



Ref Number: 204615  
**Openshaw Rd SE2**  
2 Bed 2nd Flr Mais  
Unlifted Rad C/H  
No Pkg  
**£100.10 pw**



Ref Number: 204641  
**Barth Mews SE18**  
3 Bed Grnd Flr Flat Gdn  
Rad C/H No Pkg No Pets  
**£142.76 pw**



Ref Number: 160905  
**Kingsley Wood Dr SE9**  
2 Bed 2nd Flr Flat  
Unlifted Entry phn  
Rad C/H No pets  
**£139.47 pw**



Ref Number: 69802  
**Dene Hole Hse Wickham Lane SE2**  
1 Bed 3rd Flr Flat Unlifted  
Entry phn Rad C/H  
No Pets 1 pkg space  
**£113.18 pw**

Applicants over 50+ can apply



Ref Number: 204447  
**Marshland Hse Dahlia Rd SE2**  
1 Bed 1st Flr Flat  
Lifted Entry phn  
Rad C/H All Appls must be 60 yrs or over  
**£98.07 pw**



Ref Number: 204448  
**Marshland Hse Dahlia Rd SE2**  
2 Bed 2nd Flr Flat Lifted  
Entry phn Rad C/H  
All Appls must be 60 yrs or over 1 pkg space  
**£107.97 pw**



Ref Number: 204449  
**Marshland Hse Dahlia Rd SE2**  
2 Bed 2nd Flr Flat Lifted  
Entry phn Rad C/H  
All Appls must be 60 yrs or over 1 pkg space  
**£107.97 pw**



Ref Number: 204450  
**Marshland Hse Dahlia Rd SE2**  
2 Bed 3rd Flr Flat Lifted  
Entry phn Rad C/H  
All Appls must be 60 yrs or over 1 pkg space  
**£107.97 pw**



Ref Number: 204451  
**Marshland Hse Dahlia Rd SE2**  
2 Bed 3rd Flr Flat Lifted  
Entry phn Rad C/H  
All Appls must be 60 yrs or over 1 pkg space  
**£107.97 pw**

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## MOVES ACROSS LONDON

The housingmoves scheme is run by the Greater London Authority and is aimed at social housing tenants who want to move from one part of London to another.

Priority is given to people who:

- have more bedrooms than they currently need
- want to move to be closer to employment or higher education
- need to provide care for family members or friends.

Tenants must have a clear rent account and no on-going record of anti-social behaviour.

Royal borough tenants can register on the scheme and bid for council or housing association property in other parts of London. To register your interest please visit:

**[www.housingmoves.org](http://www.housingmoves.org)**



**Choice hotline 020 8921 4340**

# GreenwichHomes

Royal Borough of Greenwich's Choice Based Lettings Scheme

## IMPORTANT INFORMATION

**When you attend to sign up for a property you have accepted, YOU MUST provide proof of identity and proof of address. Failure to do so, could lead to the property being withdrawn and no further consideration will be given. The following information lists what you will need to provide.**

### Adults

Two proofs of identity for each adult applicant (one of which should confirm immigration status):

- Passports
- Full birth certificates
- Immigration documents from the Home Office confirming status
- Full or Provisional Driving Licence
- National insurance card

Two proofs of address which must be current within the last 3 months:

- Tenancy Agreement (must be provided if you are a private tenant)
- Utility Bills e.g. Gas, Electric, Water (mobile phone bills are excluded)
- Bank/Building society statements
- Proof of Benefits e.g. Benefit book, Job Seekers Allowance or relevant documentation
- Letters from official bodies e.g. Council Tax, Housing Benefit, Schools, Hospitals etc

### Dependent Children (One proof from each section)

- Full birth Certificates
- Custody papers/parental responsibility documents

- Proof of full Child Benefit or Family Tax Credit showing the child/children's name
- Proof of pregnancy
- Evidence of schooling if appropriate e.g. Headed letter with the child's name on it.

### EEA (European Economic Area) Nations

- Wage slips within the last 12 months

### This is what happened to the homes advertised in issue 455

Address	Bed-rooms	Property Type	No of Bids	Reg date of successful app	Band
Willow Lane SE18 5TB	1	FLAT	454	19/06/2015	B1
Hector Street SE18 1QT	2	FLAT	313	07/05/2015	B1
Carnbrook Road SE3 8AE	1	FLAT	404	09/05/1993	A
Lampart Close SE18 5PZ	0	FLAT	248	14/01/2011	C
Charlton Dene SE7 7BQ	3	PARLOUR HSE	738	30/03/2009	B1
Will Crooks Gardens SE9 6JB	3	HOUSE	670	03/07/2015	B1
Gavestone Road SE12 9BP	2	FLAT	271	23/04/2015	B1
Inigo Jones Road SE7 8PH	3	HOUSE	754	25/05/1992	A
Tyler Street SE10 9EX	2	BUNGALOW	315	12/04/2005	B1
Tyler Street SE10 9EX	2	BUNGALOW	228	19/12/1994	A
Tyler Street SE10 9EX	2	BUNGALOW	216	15/09/2010	B1
Robert Street SE18 7NE	1	FLAT	485	17/05/2015	B1
Southend Close SE9 2SF	2	FLAT	535	06/06/2011	A
Samuel Street SE18 5LF	0	FLAT	224	29/06/2015	B1
Hooke Court SE10 8UY	3	HOUSE	375	04/05/2015	B1
Ravens Way SE12 8HB	2	FLAT	287	15/10/2014	B1
Antelope Road SE18 5QG	2	FLAT	432	11/12/2014	B1
Frances Street SE18 5JU	1	FLAT	433	02/07/2007	A
Elliston House Wellington Street SE18 6QF	2	FLAT	214	18/05/2015	B1
Strandfield Close SE18 1LA	3	HOUSE	681	07/07/2015	B1
Old Dover Road SE3 7BT	3	MAISONETTE	379	25/07/1990	A
Hasler Close SE28 8LB	1	FLAT	295	31/10/2011	C
Marble House Felspar Close SE18 1LN	2	FLAT	220	13/11/2014	B1
Middle Park Avenue SE9 5QR	0	FLAT	206	31/08/2011	C
Fairlawn Court Fairlawn SE7 7DT	3	FLAT	254	To be Allocated	

## For information or assistance

Contact our Allocations Team  
on: **020 8921 2941** or email:  
[housing-allocations@royalgreenwich.gov.uk](mailto:housing-allocations@royalgreenwich.gov.uk)

## GreenwichHomes adverts

*Greenwich Time* is now being published  
50 weeks a year and is delivered to all residents.  
GreenwichHome adverts are included in every issue.



<b>Royal Borough of Greenwich</b> <b>Town &amp; Country Planning Act 1990 (AS AMENDED)</b> <b>Town and Country Planning (Development Management Procedure)(England) Order 2015</b> <b>Planning (Listed Buildings &amp; Conservation Areas) Act 1990 (AS AMENDED)</b> <b>Town &amp; Country Planning (Control of Advertisements) Regulations 2007 (AS AMENDED)</b>		
Notice is hereby given that application(s) have been made to The Royal Borough of Greenwich in respect of the under mentioned premises/sites. You can see the submissions and any plans during the hours of 9.00am to 5.30pm Monday to Friday and 9.00am to 5.00pm on Saturday at:-		
<b>Woolwich Public Library, Woolwich Centre, 21 Love Lane, SE18 6QT</b> Also at <a href="http://www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk/planning">http://www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk/planning</a> or at the library shown between normal opening hours. If development proposals affect Conservation Areas and/or Statutorily Listed Buildings under the Planning (Listed Building and Conservation Areas) Act 1990 (As Amended) this will be shown within the items below. Anyone who wishes to comment on these applications should be made in writing to Development Planning within 21 days of the date of this notice. Please quote the appropriate reference number. <b>Date: 08/09/2015</b> Mike Hews - Chief Planning Officer		
Publicity For Planning Applications		
Applicant:	<b>The Royal Parks</b>	15/1494/F
Development:	<b>THE PARKS OFFICE, GREENWICH PARK, BLACKHEATH AVENUE, GREENWICH, SE10 8QY</b>	
Library:	Installation of Photovoltaic Solar Panels on the roof of the Greenwich Park Office Building	
Conservation Area:	West Greenwich Library, Greenwich High Road, SE10 8NN GREENWICH PARK	
Applicant:	<b>Mr T Cavallaro</b>	15/1908/F
Development:	<b>53B COLERAINE ROAD, BLACKHEATH, LONDON, SE3 7PF</b>	
Library:	Installation of replacement windows	
Conservation Area:	Blackheath Library, Old Dover Road, Blackheath, SE3 7BT WESTCOMBE PARK	
Applicant:	<b>Greenwich Hospital</b>	15/2266/F
Development:	<b>FRY'S COURT, GREENWICH MARKET, GREENWICH, SE10</b>	
Library:	Installation of new public art sculpture	
Conservation Area:	West Greenwich Library, Greenwich High Road, SE10 8NN WEST GREENWICH	
Applicant:	<b>Mr S Williams</b>	15/2317/F
Development:	<b>79 MYCENAE ROAD, BLACKHEATH, LONDON, SE3 7SE</b>	
Library:	Extension of existing basement into garden; replacement of rear elevation bay windows with glass box	
Conservation Area:	Replacement of 3 windows and front door; loft conversion including terrace cut into roof Blackheath Library, Old Dover Road, Blackheath, SE3 7BT WESTCOMBE PARK	
Applicant:	<b>Mr &amp; Mrs Matthews</b>	15/2340/F
Development:	<b>14 ADMIRALS GATE, GREENWICH, LONDON, SE10 8JX</b>	
Library:	Construction of a first floor side extension	
Conservation Area:	West Greenwich Library, Greenwich High Road, SE10 8NN ASHBURNHAM TRIANGLE	
Applicant:	<b>Ms M Jones</b>	15/2362/F
Development:	<b>93 ASHRIDGE CRESCENT, PLUMSTEAD, LONDON, SE18 3EA</b>	
Library:	Demolition of existing rear conservatory, erection of a single storey rear / side extension, and conversion of garage into a habitable room	
Conservation Area:	Woolwich Public Library, Woolwich Centre, 21 Love Lane, Woolwich, SE18 6QT SHREWSBURY PARK ESTATE	
Applicant:	<b>Mr M Wesseldine</b>	15/2434/F
Development:	<b>38 WESTCOMBE PARK ROAD, BLACKHEATH, LONDON, SE3 7RB</b>	
Library:	Construction of a 3-storey side extension, installation of two dormers at roof level and modification of ground floor rear windows	
Conservation Area:	Blackheath Library, Old Dover Road, Blackheath, SE3 7BT GREENWICH PARK	
Applicant:	<b>Mr &amp; Mrs M El Dimachidi</b>	15/2468/F
Development:	<b>6 BRUNSWICK TERRACE, BANCHORY ROAD, BLACKHEATH, LONDON, SE3 8AL</b>	
Library:	Erection of a single storey rear conservatory	
Conservation Area:	Greenwich Centre Library, 12 Lambards Square, SE10 9GB RECHORY FIELD	
Applicant:	<b>Greenwich Hospital</b>	15/2504/F
Development:	<b>BISCUITS CERAMIC CAFE, 3-4 NELSON ROAD, GREENWICH, LONDON, SE10 9JB</b>	
Library:	Change of use of basement and ground floors from art/craft workshop with ancillary cafe (Use Class Sui Generis) to Retail (Use Class A1)	
Conservation Area:	West Greenwich Library, Greenwich High Road, SE10 8NN WEST GREENWICH	
Applicant:	<b>Mrs L K Durrant</b>	15/2659/F
Development:	<b>37 GLENLUCE ROAD, BLACKHEATH, LONDON, SE3 7SD</b>	
Library:	Installation of second floor glass window, 2 additional rooflights and one rear/side dormer window	
Conservation Area:	Blackheath Library, Old Dover Road, Blackheath, SE3 7BT WESTCOMBE PARK	
Publicity for Listed Building Consent		
Applicant:	<b>Youngs and Co Brewery PLC</b>	15/2091/L
Development:	<b>RICHARD I, 52-54 ROYAL HILL, GREENWICH, LONDON, SE10 8RT</b>	
Library:	Installation of two sets of 180mm bespoke applied lintering on fascia and replacement of swing-sign post	
Conservation Area:	West Greenwich Library, Greenwich High Road, SE10 8NN WEST GREENWICH	
Listed Building:	Grade 2	
Applicant:	<b>Mr F Harrison</b>	15/2334/L
Development:	<b>FLAT 1, 12 THE PARAGON, BLACKHEATH, LONDON, SE3 0NZ</b>	
Library:	Internal refurbishments including fit-out of bathroom, ensuite and kitchen	
Conservation Area:	Blackheath Library, Old Dover Road, Blackheath, SE3 7BT BLACKHEATH	
Listed Building:	Grade 1	
Applicant:	<b>The Royal Parks</b>	15/2647/L
Development:	<b>THE PARKS OFFICE, GREENWICH PARK, BLACKHEATH AVENUE, GREENWICH, LONDON, SE10</b>	
Library:	Installation of Photovoltaic Solar Panels on the roof of the Greenwich Park Office Building	
Conservation Area:	West Greenwich Library, Greenwich High Road, SE10 8NN GREENWICH PARK	
Listed Building:	Grade 2	
Applicant:	<b>Mr Vladimir Demine</b>	15/2675/L
Development:	<b>41 HYDE VALE, GREENWICH, LONDON, SE10 8QQ</b>	
Library:	Replacement of modern plaster ceiling in the main first floor reception room with a traditional cornice to match the original cornice in the adjacent rooms and the replacement of the existing half glazed rear door with a new door detailed to match the existing	
Conservation Area:	West Greenwich Library, Greenwich High Road, SE10 8NN WEST GREENWICH	
Listed Building:	Grade 2	
Publicity For Advertisements		
Applicant:	<b>Youngs and Co Brewery PLC</b>	15/2435/A
Development:	<b>RICHARD I, 52-54 ROYAL HILL, GREENWICH, LONDON, SE10 8RT</b>	
Library:	Installation of two sets of 180mm bespoke applied lintering on fascia and replacement of swing-sign post	
Conservation Area:	West Greenwich Library, Greenwich High Road, SE10 8NN WEST GREENWICH	

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### Greenwich Community College

### Statutory Notice – Further and Higher Education Act 1992

The Corporation of Greenwich Community College (GCC) gives notice in accordance with the Further Education Corporations (Publication of Proposals) (England) Regulations 2012, SI 2012, No 1157, of the proposal for the transfer of its property, rights and liabilities to the Corporation of Bromley College of Further and Higher Education and the subsequent dissolution of the Further Education Corporation of Greenwich Community College.

Dissolution of the Corporation of GCC is proposed so that GCC may merge with Bromley College. The date proposed for the dissolution of the Corporation of GCC is 1 January 2016. **GCC students will be able to continue their courses of study on the same campus as planned.**

Information about the merger is available free of charge and can be found online at: [www.gcc.ac.uk](http://www.gcc.ac.uk) or [www.bromley.ac.uk](http://www.bromley.ac.uk)

The consultation period runs from 1 September 2015 – 12 October 2015. All responses and representations must be received by the closing date.

The Corporation of GCC will publish a summary of the feedback and its outcome within two months of the closing date. The summary will be available free of charge. Feedback can be via email or by post to:

Clerk to the Corporation, Greenwich Community College, 95 Plumstead Road, London SE18 7DQ Email: [communication@gcc.ac.uk](mailto:communication@gcc.ac.uk)





# Fitness day fun



**WORK THAT BODY:** Leisure centre staff show the range of activities available

**LOCAL leisure centres open their doors for free so people can have a taste of what's on offer to help them get fit and active.** It's all part of National Fitness Day tomorrow (September 9) which will see more than 2,000 venues showcase their facilities and activities. Greenwich leisure centres will be running the following sessions for residents over 11 years old:

#### Eltham Centre

Mini fitness challenges throughout the day, including group cycle class from 7am-7.30am and Abs blast session from 6pm-6.30pm. Plus a woman only workout from 8pm-9pm.

#### Greenwich Centre

Wii fit challenges, mini circuits and rebounding sessions for juniors. Design your own swim hat, bring a friend along for free and also get them active too.

#### Charlton Lido and Lifestyle Club

Brazilian dance class from 7-8pm or get into shape with boot camp and box fit session from 8-9pm.

#### Thamesmere Leisure Centre

Boot camp session for 16s from 7pm-8pm and Pilates from 8pm-9pm and you can also bring a friend for free.

#### Waterfront Leisure Centre

Mash up event from 7pm-9pm where you go through range of exercises and mini classes whilst being pumped with live music from our DJ.

● **Information and bookings on at your nearest centre or visit [www.better.org.uk](http://www.better.org.uk)**

# SPORT

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[www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk/greenwichtime](http://www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk/greenwichtime)



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bronze. And earlier this summer veteran member Warwick Dixon, 80, smashed the M80 British Hammer Record by nearly three metres in The World Masters Champs at Lyon, France when throwing 38.67M.

Teenager Sabrina Sinha, a rising star at the club, is supported by Greenwich Starting Blocks, the charity set up by the royal borough to support aspiring athletes. Fellow club members, runner Danielle Blake, 17, and 19-year-old long jumper Tobi Adeniyi also have very bright futures ahead of them.

Many of the club's young athletes were spotted as a result of the club's Greenwich schools Athletics programme. The programme started 20 years ago when there was little inter schools athletics in the borough and no representation at the inter Borough London championships. Club chairman Mick Bond said: "The club took on organising events to stimulate PE teachers to do more athletics in schools and to help identify talented athletes that the club could help develop."

"We now organise five track meetings and one cross country event each year which virtually every secondary school in the borough attends and we have up to 400 kids participating each time," Mick explained. "From this we organise borough teams for the London Schools track and Cross Country Championships and it's all done by a team of volunteers," he added.

The club enjoys the services of a team of 19 qualified coaches who cover most of the athletic events. However, Mick stressed more coaches are always welcome. "We're always looking for more people to coach. Coaching tends to be the sticking point - when kids join an athletics club, if someone's there to look after them and help them develop, then they'll stick at it. If you haven't got enough coaches that's when they'll tend to drop out of the sport."

But retaining young athletes doesn't seem to be a great problem at the Eltham club and Mick described it as "very satisfying" to see the success of the Harriers. He said: "We're here to help athletes develop. We love our sport, we love to encourage people to take up our sport and do well in it and we do a pretty good job of it."



● For more information on the Cambridge Harriers visit [www.cambridgeharriers.org.uk](http://www.cambridgeharriers.org.uk)

## SHERINGTON PRIMARY SCHOOL WYNDCLIFF ROAD, CHARLTON, LONDON SE7 7JP

### Teaching Assistants required to start in as soon as possible

Sherington Primary School is an outstanding school with a reputation for strong community support and high standards. We are looking to recruit two Teaching Assistants to start as soon as possible. One position is to work on a one-to-one basis supporting a child with EBD in lower Key Stage 2. This position is for 25 hours a week, term time only, 39 weeks a year. It will be paid at scale, 2, spine point 10. Actual salary will be £10,129. The other is to cover maternity leave for one year working in reception. This position is for 25 hours a week, term time only, 39 weeks a year for one year. It will be paid at scale, 2, spine point 10. Actual salary will be £10,129.

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Application packs should be downloaded from our website:  
[www.sheringtonprimary.co.uk](http://www.sheringtonprimary.co.uk)

Sherington Primary School is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children, and the successful candidate will be DBS checked prior to appointment among other pre-employment checks.

**Closing date for receipt of completed applications:  
12.00 noon on Monday 21 September**

## RACHEL MCMILLAN NURSERY SCHOOL AND CHILDREN'S CENTRE MCMILLAN STREET, LONDON SE8 3EH TEL: 020 8692 4041

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- You will be working with 2, 3 and 4 year olds
- The nursery has a strong ethos of inclusion and a tradition of valuing all children and their individual interests and learning styles.
- A high expectation of children's potential is essential, along with a commitment to teamwork.

Rachel McMillan Nursery School is committed to the protection and safety of its children and the successful applicant will be expected to undertake an enhanced criminal record check via the DBS.

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**TRACK AND FIELD STARS:** Cambridge Harriers has produced sporting heroes on all levels



## Setting the Pace

Harriers celebrate all round success

by Zach Emmanuel

**ATHLETES** of all ages and abilities are making a name for an historic sporting club in the heart of Eltham. The Cambridge Harriers Athletics Club has produced top performing

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Formed by a group of Cambridge university graduates 125 years ago, the club has almost 400 members mainly coming from royal Greenwich and neighbouring boroughs. It covers cross country,

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The club includes a number of international athletes among its ranks and has had at least one representative at every Olympic

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